



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 3683
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67077

Toshiharu KAJITA

Appln. No.: 09/985,847

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Confirmation No.: 4461

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2003—the period for response having been extended to February 2, 2004 (February 1, 2004 being a Sunday) by an appropriate petition and check filed herewith—please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.